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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action mailed on December 23, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the final rejection and presents amendments to the claims for the purpose of clarification and to address the rejections under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.